



The Croatan Civic League News

October 2018

By the Beach with Bill Garvey

Good Fall Croatan:

For the last 6 years I have had the pleasure of serving this neighborhood as President of your Croatan Civic League.

I have decided not to re-run and will instead stay on as a Director and continue to serve the Civic League in any matter that is needed.

I want to thank all those whom I have worked with over the years and all those who donate their time and services to better our community. I am very proud of the work we have done in the last couple of years and look forward to what is ahead for our beloved neighborhood.

With that I cannot emphasize enough the need for this community to support our Civic League in any and all ways. Those who can please go to a meeting, volunteer for neighborhood clean-ups, help work events, and especially join Board and serve a term or two if possible. Without new blood this organization will eventually cease to exist and I cannot tell you how bad that will be for CROATAN.

Please contact me @ cddx@aol.com or 439-2897 if you have an interest in serving.

I thank you all again for the opportunity to serve and in my last newsletter invite you all to attend the Annual FALL BALL to be held on November 3rd.

The registration flyer is In this newsletter and can also be found on our website www.croatanbeach.org under Neighborhood Events.

Now having a cold one on the beach,

Bill Garvey
CCL President

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UPCOMING EVENTS:

- 10/8 Women's Club
- 10/18 Book Club
- 11/3 Fall Ball
- 11/5 CCL Board Meeting
- 11/9 Newsletter Deadline
- 11/12 Croatan Women's Club



Update on the Croatan Public Beach from Mike Kelly, CCL VP

Croatan Beach Restoration Project

It is still on-track.



Picture taken on 1 Oct 2018

On 28 September, the VB Department of Public Works told me the following:

Final construction document efforts are underway for the sand haul project. The duration for the beach berm construction activities is to occur between late December and late March. A public meeting is being rescheduled and will now be held after bids are received to announce the final detailed schedule and provide an overview of the project.

As you are aware, dune restoration work began with City forces earlier this year and will continue in advance of the sand haul. Upon completion, the project will achieve the recommendations established in the study and will include sand fence and planting of beach grass along the toe of and face of the dune system.

Please call me with questions and/or comments.

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The Croatan Book Club



Next Meeting

Date: **Thursday, October 18**

Time: 7:00 P.M.

Place: Martha Heitzler

Selection: **The Other Einstein** by Maria Benedict

All Neighbors are welcome. Just read the book (or maybe not), bring a beverage or snack, and e-mail the hostess that you will be attending.

Date	Future Selections	Author
12/6/2018	The Boys in the Boat	Daniel James Brown
01/17/2019	Us Against You	Fredrik Backman
02/21/2019	Little Fires Everywhere	Celeste Ng
03/21/2019	Georgia, A Novel of Georgia O'Keefe	Dawn Tripp

See the CCL website for 2018-19 selections:
www.croatanbeach.org/clubs/bookclub/.

Croatan Women's Club

Come see the Croatan Women's Club (CWC)! We invite any and all women in our neighborhood to join us on the second Monday of each month to meet or catch up with your neighbors. Watch on Croatan Nextdoor for location information as there is a different host each month. If you have questions or comments, contact Kristy Kain at kristy_kain@yahoo.com. Upcoming dates: Oct 8, Nov 12, Dec 10, Jan 14, Feb 11, March 11, April 8, May 13, June 10. We hope you can join us!

[WOMEN'S CLUB - BOO!!! - IT'S HALLOWEEN](#)

Dust off your broom and fly on over to the home of
 LINDA RITCHIE-ROYAL.

OCTOBER 8th,
 517 S. Atlantic Avenue,
 7:00 PM.

Parking available at 517, 516 and 513 S. Atlantic.

Costumes are optional but we encourage you to dress for the occasion.

Prizes will be awarded to those in costume.

A - L Bring Appetizers

M - Z Bring Wine



Neighborhood Contacts and Helpers

Send any corrections, deletions or additions to this page to Marian Kitchin at mdkitchin@gmail.com.

Welcome Wagon

Contact Cheryl Garvey at
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 or phone 471-5436 if you know
 of new Croatan neighbors .



Book Collection

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 For Sentara Virginia Beach Hospital Auxiliary

Magazine Collection

Michele Speight, Teen Crisis Intervention
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Important Contacts

Police Fire & Rescue Emergencies	911
Non-Emergency Assistance	385-5000
Miss Utility	811
Potholes, Street Signs and Repairs	385-1470
Animal Control (Option #1)	385-4444
City Landfill	385-1980
Bulk Trash Pickup	385-4650
Croatan Temporary Parking Permit	385-4131
Wildlife Response , Inc.	543-7000
VBSPCA Wildlife Referral Line	263-4762
Wildlife Conflict Helpline (toll free)	
(855) 571-9003	
Beach Wedding Permit	385-4800

Babysitters in Croatan

Alexa Anderson	961-0423 or 330-519-1349
Cindi Dunker	287-6725 or 425-7476
Gregory Harris	478-8844
Haden Harris	478-8844
Michael Juliano	513-1723
Angelina Koester	4771697
Savannah Reich	773-6916
Summer Reich	773-6834
Manon Scholl	615-8811
Emma Smith	808-464-8126

Pet Sitters in Croatan

Cindi Dunker	287-6725 or 425-7476
Gregory Harris	478-8844
Hayden Harris	478-8844
Caitlin Helveston	705-9312
Susan Leslie	437-9626
Manon Scholl	615-8811
Annabelle Smith	641-0943

Who to Call

Dead or Stranded
 Marine Mammal
 (dolphin, seal, whale)
 or Sea Turtle
 Virginia Aquarium
 Stranding Response Team
757-385-7575



SCOOP THE POOP!!!! It's the LAW!!! Please carry a plastic bag with you when you walk your dog. Don't let pet waste become part of our waterways or our neighbor's landscape.



CCL Fall Ball

Saturday, November 3rd, 2018 6 to 11pm

Virginia Aquarium

Promenade Room
717 General Booth Blvd



Come join your Croatan neighbors for a fun-filled evening.

(Attire: Dress to Impress)

Cocktails: 4 hour **OPEN BAR** 6 to 10pm Cash Bar 10 to 11pm

Dancing by **ASTRO DJ**

Brief Annual Meeting & Election of CCL Board of Directors:

- CCL Business Meeting / Treasurer's Report
- Nominations & Voting for Candidates for the Board of Directors
- To nominate, contact Bill Garvey cddx@aol.com / 439-2897



COCKTAIL HOUR 6:00 TO 7:00PM

SEATED DINNER (starts promptly at 7pm)

PLEASE PICK AN ENTREE

NAME	CCL Member \$65 Per member	Guest \$100 Per person	CHICKEN	BEEF	VEGETARIAN
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TOTAL:	\$ _____				

Reservations Required by Oct 26th No payments at the door

Make Checks Payable to... Croatan Civic League
604 Fort Raleigh Drive
Virginia Beach, Va 23451

The People Make the Beach
Croatan Civic League

We are on the WEB!
 Check us out at
www.croatanbeach.org
 and Nextdoor.com

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